

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Docket No.: R-247.00CIP

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Protease Activity Comprising a Polypeptide Chain with the Amino  
Acid Sequence AAGGILHLELLV

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages

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Signed statement attached deleting inventor named in the prior application, see 37 CFR §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked.) entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein

6. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission

a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy  
b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
c. ☐ Statement Verifying identity of above copies

7. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

8. ☐ 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney

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10. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

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11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

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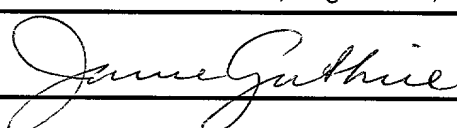
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